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No 6 Chicago Express 9:48 p.m.
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Saturday, the 1st day of August, A. D. 1891,

between the hours of 9 o'clock in the forenoon and 5 o'clock in the afternoon of that day, at the east front door of the Court-house, in the town of Keytesville, Chariton County, Missouri, expose to sale the above described property of public vendition; to the highest bidder for cash, for the purpose of satisfying said note and paying the costs and expenses of executing this trust.

C. B. CRAVLEY, Trustee.

Order of Publication.
STATE OF MISSOURI, ss.
COUNTY OF CHARITON, ss.
In the Circuit Court of Chariton County, in vacation, July 2nd, 1891.

William S. Wheeler, plaintiff, vs. Patrick Clark, defendant.

At this day comes the plaintiff herein, by his attorney, and files his petition and affidavit, alleging, among other things, that defendant, Patrick Clark, is not a resident of the State of Missouri. Whereupon it is ordered by the clerk in vacation, that said defendant be notified by publication that plaintiff has commenced a suit against him in this court, by said attachment, to recover the sum of Five Hundred and Eighty and no/100 dollars, with interest and cost of suit, and that unless the said Patrick Clark, do and appear at this court, at the next term thereof, to be held and holden at the Court House, in the town of Keytesville, in said county, on the 15th day of October next, and on or before the sixth day of said term, if the term shall so long continue; and if not, then on or before the last day of said term—answer or plead to the petition in said cause, the same will be taken as confessed, and judgment will be rendered accordingly.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published, according to law, in the CHARITON COURIER, a newspaper printed and published in the County of Chariton, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least four weeks before the commencement of said term.

A true copy from the record. Clerk of Court.

WITNESSES my hand and the seal of the Circuit Court of said county, this 2nd day of July, 1891.

J. P. HICKMAN, Circuit Clerk.

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FINAL SETTLEMENT NOTICE.

Creditors and all others interested in the estate of Jackson Burnett, deceased, are hereby notified that at the next August term of the Chariton County Probate Court, to be begun and held on the second Monday in August, 1891, at the Court-house, in Keytesville, in said county, I shall make final settlement of said estate.

SARAH FORRESTER, Administratrix.

We clip the following pertinent

item from the Brookfield Gazette: There has been a great deal of talk among the wise and virtuous statesmen and journalists of the third party in regard to "slavery to the old parties," and many have been the exhortations on the part of those free, enfranchised and enlightened people to others whom they deem enlightened to shake off the shackles of slavery and take part as free men with the People's party, all of which is more noticeable from the fact that those same exhorters seem to take it for granted that they are going to carry the entire membership of the Farmers' alliance into the People's party; that all these self-constituted leaders have to do is to issue the order and the unions and alliances, bag and baggage, will be carried into the People's party.

It may not be generally known, but it is nevertheless true that the cultivation of farms in the Missouri valley is more profitable than anywhere else on earth, except in limited areas of market gardening near large cities. If farming were on equitable footing in respect to tax and trade laws the wealth of this section would be the envy of the world. But for this reason thousands of farmers in the larger states are only half cultivated. The rates of profit have been too small to excite the intense energies and the greater outlay of capital which are needed to make the highest yields.

Gov. FRANCIS on Wednesday of last week appointed the world's fair commission for Missouri. It consists of N. H. Gentry, of Pettis county, Dr. E. McD. Coffey, of Platt county, Wm. Dameron, of New Madrid, H. H. Grigg, of Jasper county, Hugh McGowan, of Kansas City, Nathan Frank, of St. Louis, and Charles W. Green, of Linn county, the talented editor of our esteemed contemporary, the Brookfield Argus. There were seventy-five applicants for the commission, and only seven places to fill. The commission is composed of good men, and they will meet and organize at Jefferson City August 4th.

Forrest Green.

BY RO.

(Received too late for last week.)

Our farmers are busy threshing wheat.....Miss Maude DeBrell, of Shell City, is the guest of Miss Emma Bentley.....Miss Ada Hayes spent Sunday in Salisbury.....Quite a number of our young folks spend their Sundays at the Randolph Springs.....Miss Nora Yates, of Columbia, is visiting Miss Nellie Heryford.....Dr. Lawhorn and wife returned Tuesday morning from a visit to relatives in Chicago.....Miss Mattie Finnell, after an extended visit to Misses Lina and Ollie White, of Elm ridge, returned to her home in Salisbury Monday.....Miss Paul Spencer returned home last week from a visit to friends in Higginville, Mo.....Mr. Bentley shipped four car loads of tobacco to Dublin, Ireland, Saturday. This is his last shipment this season.....Mr. Albert Reich left Saturday for Springfield, Mo., to be gone for some time.....Mrs. S. A. Scroggins, of Salisbury, has been visiting friends and relatives here for the last two weeks.....Misses Lizzie and Emma Gannon have returned from a visit to Odessa. They were accompanied home by Miss Maggie Graves.

Summer Squibs.

BY MORE ANON.

(Received too late for last issue.)

Summer still improves.....A. Dixon went to Moberly this week.....R. T. Buchanan and Mr. Foster have opened a butcher shop here.....The Summer Exchange bank commenced business the 13th inst.....Mr. J. A. Merchant, of Brunswick, was in town Monday assisting in opening the bank.....Farmers are quite busy at harvesting and threshing.....The wheat crop in this neighborhood is the best that has been known for years. The average is about twenty bushels per acre.....Fishing parties are all the go in Summer at present.....The Misses Carothers, of Laclede, are visiting their brother, Wm., of the firm of Thompson, Carothers & Co., of this place.....Summer is being entertained by the sonorous voice of a phenologist, who gives free lectures on the street, and gives public exhibitions of his skill.

Merit Wins.

We desire to say to our citizens that for years we have been selling Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Dr. King's New Life Pills, Bucklen's Arnica Salve and Electric Bitters, and have never handled remedies that sell as well, or that have given such universal satisfaction. We do not hesitate to guarantee them every time, and we stand ready to refund the purchase price, if satisfactory results do not follow their use. These remedies have won their great popularity purely on their merits.

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The exportation of gold from this country to Europe has been watched by the barons of Wall street with much anxiety, and they are looking to the farmers here in the West for relief. When the sturdy yeomen of this section have laid by their sickles, and the singing of the thrasher is heard in the land, then will the golden grain begin its journey across the waters of the great deep, and then will the coin return to the mint that made it. Then will commerce wend its way through the obstacles that have been thrown in its path and move majestically onward. The traders of the east, like those small birds that attach themselves to the migratory stork, will be carried to the haven of safety. Then will come the flood tide, carrying bread to the eater and seed to the sower down over this broad country of ours, irrigating the waste places.

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A TERRIBLE freight wreck occurred on the Colorado Midland at Ute Pass, Col., on Wednesday of last week, which resulted in the death of the engineer and fireman and the total destruction of eleven cars loaded with ore and bullion. The fireman, James Wilson, was buried beneath the wreck and his body has not been recovered up to last accounts, although a large force of men went to work on the mass of iron work and splintered timbers. Engineer Moore died soon after reaching his home.

It is believed that the government of France has decided to accede to the request of Whitelaw Reid, United States minister, to remove the embargo upon American pork, as it is known that the United States authorities have agreed to bring forward a bill modifying the general customs tariff of May, 1888, and fixing the duty at 20 francs per 100 kilos on all salted pork, ham and bacon imported from the United States.

TOM WILLIAMSON, to be hanged at Sedalia August 21st for murder, was sentenced to be hanged in Illinois in 1867 for murder in that state. Through mercy his sentence was commuted to life imprisonment, and after serving fourteen years he was released. He stoically says: "If they are goin' to hang Tom, let them hang him, for Tom's been a bad boy." The recent electrocutions in New York have interested him, and he says he doesn't want any electricity in his. He prefers to break his neck himself. He is very ignorant, but there is a talented forger confined in the same jail and between them they are writing Williamson's confession, and the local papers are trying to get hold of it. The hanging of Williamson will be the first judicial killing in Pettis county.

There is a serious split in the Hedrickite branch of the Mormon church at Independence, Jackson county. A majority of the members have withdrawn from the church and are seeking admission to the other branch of that church, all because Elder Hall, chief of the Hedrickite branch, tried to introduce certain reforms among his followers. He required the sisters to dress in plain black dresses and sun-bonnets, without ribbons, laces or frills. He forbade the men to use tobacco. Disobedience, he said, would be punished with expulsion. The frivolous brethren and sisters, however, rather than give up their tobacco and frills, gave up their church, which now consists of only thirteen members.

The plutocratic idea is taking a firmer hold upon the governmental departments of New York year by year. Its latest manifestation is in the management of the so-called public parks of that city. We have it upon the authority of the Commercial-Advertiser that children cannot play in Central park without permits from the commissioners, which are granted only on specified days, but that nothing of the kind is required of people who drive in the park in carriages. This discrimination in favor of the wealthy is not surprising in the case of a community that has been accustomed to worship the almighty dollar and to submit to being overruled by millionaires of the Jay Gould stripe.

Try BLACK-DRAGHT tea for Dyspepsia.

A PROMINENT citizen of Warren Summit, New Hampshire, recently caused the body of his mother to be disinterred for the purpose of burying it in another place, when it was found that the coffin was completely enveloped with the strands of the lady's hair, even the grave being filled with the silky mass, which had to cut through before the coffin could be removed. Upon opening the coffin the remains, with the exception of the head, were found to have perished, but the skull was wonderfully preserved and even the skin was intact, and from this had grown a quantity of hair such as no living person could carry.

LATE official dispatches from Santiago, Chili, say: "The revolution is stationary. Famine prevails at Tarapaca and Antofagasta. There is no discipline among the rebel forces. Balmaceda, at the cost of state, has sent all political prisoners on board the steamer, Bolivia, bound for Iquique, where they will be at liberty to act as they please. A plot has been discovered to destroy the government's squadron at Valparaiso. All the conspirators have been seized excepting one who hanged himself. A reconnoitering force from Coquimbo has temporarily occupied Hascano and Vallen, where food is scarce.

The constitution of the "Holden Improvement Society," of Massachusetts, says: "The object of this society shall be to cultivate public spirit, improve our streets, sidewalks, and public grounds, establish good grass borders in the street, remove nuisances and in general to build up and beautify the whole village and thus to enhance the value of its real estate and to render it a still more inviting place for residents." Every village in the Missouri valley would be benefited if it had a society organized to support and promote these objects, and Keytesville should be in front of the procession.

An exchange truthfully remarks that "there are events occurring in every community, which, if reported in a local paper, would create a common little dream of." What to report and what not to report often perplexes the local editor. He is often accused of cowardice and favoritism, when all the time he is looking toward the good reputation of his town and county. The local editor, from necessity, almost finds himself between two fires, and which ever way he turns he is sure to be unjustly treated. This is one of the pleasures of the newspaper business.

It may not be generally known but it is nevertheless a fact, that some of the greatest and best preachers in the world do not use slang or abusive language, or pass around the hat for a living, says the Atlanta Constitution. They suffer many hardships, and as a rule remain poor all their lives, but they never resort to sensational methods in order to draw crowds and fill their pockets. Many of them in their old age feel all the evils of poverty and die neglected and in want, but their work lives after them, and they go out of the world happy in the consciousness of having fought the good fight. The evangelists who go up and down the land startling people with their extravagant and unique manners and sayings no doubt do some good in their way, with certain classes, but it would be very unsafe for the preachers of the day to imitate them. Among soberminded people there is a growing conviction that the old way of preaching the gospel is the right way, and their opinion is more likely to be right than wrong.

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The New York Sun says that gold exports this year have been the largest ever made from this or any other country, but "they have not effected our money at all. Yesterday money was a drug and this week brokers' balances have loaned at 1 per cent." If the New York money market is glutted, it is a very different condition from what exists in most places in the country. That, however, is a very natural result, when we remember that the cow is fed in the West and milked in the East. The body politic, like the human body, has cold extremities when there's congestion in other parts. The life blood of the nation needs distributing, so that all parts of the body may keep warm.

WINE OF CARDUI, a Tonic for Women.

A TERRIBLE land slide occurred near the Northern Pacific cannery, on Skuna river, in British America. Back of the cannery is a high mountain. On Thursday of last week people at work in the cannery and living near it, heard a terrific roaring sound, followed a moment later by an avalanche of earth, rocks and trees. Nine houses with their occupants and the mess house of the cannery were destroyed. The slide missed the cannery proper by about two feet. Had it occurred a half hour earlier the deaths would have reached into the hundreds. The wife of the foreman was killed and Indians claim that about forty Indians of the Sitka, Kitama and Port Simpson tribes were among those lost.

AYER'S Sarsaparilla cures liver complaint, rheumatism, and all diseases of the blood.

Mrs. LUCY PRATT, a young widow of San Francisco, California, one day last week sold forty-five square inches of her skin for \$100. A strip of skin nine by five inches was cut from her body by surgeons and grafted onto the leg of William A. Duggett, a railway mail clerk, who was frightfully injured in a railroad accident at Port Costa. His right leg was terribly burned and the wound would not heal, and as a last resort skin grafting was resorted to. W. G. McGregory, a fellow clerk of the sufferer, volunteered to make the sacrifice, but when he learned the amount of skin needed, backed out.

The intelligent farmers in grand old Missouri have been quick to see that the sub-treasury bill could not become operative except at the expense of overthrowing Democratic institutions. The stand taken by them has been of incalculable benefit already in checking the demoralization of this dangerous delusion, and members of the alliance should lose no opportunity for making their influence felt in the future until the delusion disappears and the strength of the farmers' movement is turned towards the reduction of the tariff, the reform of the currency and the redemption of the agricultural states from the control of the plutocratic class of the Northeast.

A fact that all men with gray and many shaded whiskers should know, that Buckingham's Dye always colors an even brown or black at will. JOHN DILLARD, a farmer residing eight miles northeast of Sedalia, was struck by lightning during the severe storm of Monday evening of last week, and instantly killed. Dillard and his wife were out milking the cows in the barnyard. The woman was prostrated by the shock, and now lies in a critical condition. The bolt struck the man in the back of the head, stripping all the clothing from his body.